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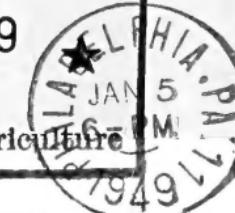
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BRANCH WAREHOUSES AT LANCASTER, HARRISBURG, WEST MILTON, FORKS, QUAKERTOWN, MUNCY, BROOKVILLE, FLEMINGTON, FREEHOLD, ELMIRA

Prices quoted below are today's values f. o. b. Philadelphia. Except where definitely described as certified, all varieties and strains are understood to be type. Bags included. Quotations are basis full bag lots: when broken lots are ordered we are obliged to charge a higher price to cover cost of breaking packages. The Philadelphia Seed Co., Inc., gives no warranty, express or implied, as to the productiveness of any seeds it sells and will not be in any way responsible for the crop. Our liability, in all instances, is limited to the purchase price of the seed

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ALFALFA

ALFALFA

All our Domestic Alfalfa is U. S. Verified Origin.

Packed approx. 150 lbs., also 1 bu. bags.
Add 15c per bu. for 1 bu. packing.

	Per Bu.
NORTHWESTERN	
COMET	\$36.30
ARROW	36.60
ATLAS	36.90
QUAKER	37.20

WESTERN

We do not handle Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, California or other un-adaptable strain.

QUAKER.....

GRIMM ALFALFA

Packed 1 bu. bags, no additional charge.
(1 bu. Sealed bags)..... 39.00

ATLANTIC STRAIN

CERTIFIED

RANGER STRAIN

CERTIFIED (Packed 1 bu. bags).....

ARGENTINE (Stained 10% Orange-Red).....

NOTE: ALFALFA SHOULD BE INOCULATED. SEE SIZES AND PRICES, COLUMN 9.

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CLOVERS

RED CLOVER, Medium

Per Bu.

Packed approx. 150 lbs., also 1 bu. bags.
Add 15c per bu. for 1 bu. packing.

COMET	Write
ATLAS	for
QUAKER	Prices
PENNA. GROWN	
QUAKER	Write

CUMBERLAND

QUAKER..... 36.00

MAMMOTH CLOVER

Packed approx. 150 lbs., also 1 bu. bags.
Add 15c per bu. for 1 bu. packing.

CENTRAL STATES	
QUAKER	35.40

ALSIKE

Packed approx. 150 lbs.
Add 15c per bu. for 1 bu. packing.

ATLAS	23.20
QUAKER	23.50

SWEET CLOVER

Packed approx. 160 lbs.
QUAKER..... 13.80

YELLOW BLOOMING

Packed 1 bu. bags, no additional charge.
QUAKER (Packed 1 Bu. Bags)..... 13.80

NOTE: ALL CLOVERS SHOULD BE INOCULATED

HARRISBURG, JANUARY 10-14

Be sure to see our exhibit. Our representatives will be there to greet you, and we invite you to make our booth your headquarters.

Booths 582 - 583, Section E

TIMOTHY

TIMOTHY

Per Bu.

	Packed apprx. 125 lbs.	Purity	\$
COMET	98.00%	\$
ARROW	99.00%	\$
ATLAS	99.60%	9.90

TIMOTHY - ALSIKE MIXTURE

STAR (23% Alsike)..... 11.25

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CLOVERS

CRIMSON

	Per 100 Lbs.
Packed approx. 100 lbs.	
QUAKER	\$29.00

WHITE CLOVER

QUAKER.....	95.00
White Clover Mixture	85.00
WRITE FOR PRICES ON SMALLER PACKAGES	

LADINO CLOVER

	Per Lb
Fancy	2.10
Conveniently packed in 50, 20, 10 and 5 lb. bags. Kindly order in these sizes.	

WILD WHITE CLOVER

For Permanent Pastures	
Certified	1.00

LESPEDAZA

Lespedeza should not be sown in Penna. or New Jersey. It does not make a satisfactory growth this far north and attempts to introduce it would result in introduction of dodder on a large scale.

KOREAN	13
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NOTE: ALL CLOVERS SHOULD BE INOCULATED.

VETCH and RAPE

VETCH

	Per 100 Lbs.
Packed approx. 100 lbs.	
HAIRY	\$ 26.00

SPRING.....	13.00
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RAPE

	Packed approx. 100 lbs.
DWARF ESSEX	14.00

PEAS and BEANS

SOY BEANS

	Per Bu.
Packed approx. 2½ bu.	
BLACK WILSON	
MANCHU TYPE	
CHIEF TYPE	
LINCOLN TYPE	

NOTE: Soy Beans should be inoculated. See prices column 9.

CANADA FIELD PEAS

	Packed approx. 2 bu.
FANCY WHITE.....	6.00

NOTE: BEANS AND PEAS SHOULD BE INOCULATED

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SEED GRAINS, ETC.

OATS

	Packed approx. 3 bu.	Per Bu.
CLINTON (Certified)	7.00	
CLINTON TYPE (Wisconsin grown)	7.00	

BARLEY

	Packed approx. 2 bu.
WISC. 38	7.00

BUCKWHEAT

	Packed approx. 2 bu.
JAPANESE TYPE	2.50
TARTARY TYPE	2.50

SORGHUM

	Packed approx. 100 lbs.	Per Bu.
MIXED AMBER CANE (Sorghum)	7.00	

FIELD CORN

	Packed approx. 2 bu.	Per Bu.
IMPERIAL BRAND TYPES	7.00	
LANCASTER SURECROP	7.00	

HYBRID FIELD CORN

PENNSYLVANIA RECOMMENDATIONS

U. S. 13. Especially recommended in the long-season sections of the State. It matures in about 115-120 days, and stands first in recommendation for the Southeastern counties. In the Northern portion of Pennsylvania it is recommended for silage. It is a very high yielder on rich corn producing soils.

Iowa 939. One of the most popular hybrids. Matures in about 110-115 days and does well on almost all types of soil.

Ohio K24. One of the early maturing hybrids (about 100 days). Popular on better soils in Central Pennsylvania.

Ohio M15. A favorite for short seasons. Will mature in 90 days. Recommended for late planting in any territory and for normal planting where the growing season is short.

Ohio K23. Early maturing, about 95 days. Used in Central Pennsylvania.

NEW JERSEY RECOMMENDATIONS

U.S. 13. High yields of grain with excellent standability. Good for silage when harvested at proper time. Adaption same as N. J. hybrids.

Ohio C12. Now recommended as similar to U.S. 13 under conditions prevailing in New Jersey.

K 24. Good grain-yielding hybrid for northern New Jersey. Can be used for silage in Sussex County. Also suitable for late planting in other areas of New Jersey.

PENNA. CERTIFIED

	FLAT GRAIN
Packed 1 bu. sealed bags	

	Per Bu.
U. S. 13 (115-120 days)	7.00

	Per Bu.
Ohio C12 (110-120 days)	7.00

	Per Bu.
Iowa 939 (110-115 days)	7.00

	Per Bu.
K24 (approx. 100 days)	7.00

	Per Bu.
K23 (approx. 95 days)	7.00

	Per Bu.
Ohio M15 (90 days)	7.00

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GRASSES

RED TOP Crop failure. As better value, we recommend increased percentages of Bluegrass, Meadow Fescue, Orchard Grass or Ryegrass in pasture mixtures; Chewings Fescue, Bluegrass or Ryegrass in turf.

SOLID SEED Per 100 Lbs.

Packed approx. 100 lbs.	
Old English	\$65.00

UNHULLED Packed approx. 130 lbs.

REX	35.00
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BLUE GRASS

Packed approx. 112 lbs.

KENTUCKY Per 100 Lbs.

COMET	
ARROW	58.00

Old English	59.00
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IMPERIAL purity 98%	66.00
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CANADA	
Old English	45.00

BROME GRASS

Packed approx. 112 lbs.

PILOT (free of onion)	30.00
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MILLET TENNESSEE GOLDEN.

JAPANESE

7.00

SUDAN GRASS

Packed approx. 100 lbs.

PILOT	
SWEET SUDAN	

SWEET SUDAN

RYE GRASS

Packed approx. 100 lbs.

DOMESTIC	12.00
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PERENNIAL (Certified)	18.00
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BENT GRASS

SEASIDE (Certified Blue Tag)

95.00

COLONIAL

90.00

ASTORIA (Blue Tag, Certified)

100.00

ASTORIA (Red Tag, Certified)

95.00

HIGHLAND (Blue Tag, Certified)

80.00

HIGHLAND (uncertified)

75.00

MISCELLANEOUS GRASSES

REED CANARY

45.00

BIRDSFOOT TREFOIL

100.00

POA TRIVIALIS

100.00

(7) LAWN MIXTURES

Freight paid
200 lbs.
or
more



In Less Than
50 lb. units
add \$2.00
per 100 lbs.

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

Old English

CONTAINS BENT SEED	Per 100 lbs.
50 LB. BAGS	\$55.00
25 LB. "	55.50
10 LB. "	57.00
5 LB. "	58.00
1 LB. CARTONS	60.00

Old English Shady Spot

50 LB. BAGS	55.00
10 LB. "	57.00
5 LB. "	58.00
1 LB. CARTONS	60.00

STRATFORD GREEN

(Reg. U. S. Pat Off.)	
50 LB. BAGS	47.00
5 LB. "	50.00
1 LB. CARTONS	52.00

SPLENDORLAWN (Reg. U. S. Pat Off.)	
50 LB. BAGS	34.00
10 LB. "	36.00
5 LB. "	37.00
1 LB. CARTONS	39.00

COMET (Reg. U. S. Pat Off.)

100 LB. BAGS	24.50
50 LB. "	25.00
5 LB. "	28.00
2 LB. "	29.00
1 LB. "	30.00

SPLENDORLAWN SHADY SPOT

(Reg. U. S. Pat Off.)	
50 LB. BAGS	41.00
5 LB. "	44.00
1 LB. CARTONS	46.00

Old English Superfine

CONTAINS BENT SEED	
50 LB. BAGS	60.00
5 LB. "	63.00
2 LB. "	64.00

IMPERIAL (Reg. U. S. Pat Off.)

Air Washed 95% Pure.	
50 LB. BAGS	79.00
5 LB. "	82.00
2 LB. "	83.00
1 LB. CARTONS	84.00

(8) PASTURE MIXTURES

PERMANENT PASTURE

Packed 50 lbs.	Per 100 Lbs.
PILOT (For Uplands)	\$38.75
PARAGON (For Meadows)	35.25

TRIPLE-PURPOSE PASTURE

Penn. State College Formulae	
PYRAMID (F) contains alfalfa	43.50
PYRAMID (G) alsike instead of alfalfa	45.50

These rotation pasture mixtures are recommended for Penna. to overcome midsummer shortages of grazing or where there is a shortage of permanent pasture. Write for circular.

MULTIPLE PURPOSE MIXTURES

New Jersey Formulae
We are prepared to supply the various special mixtures now being suggested for sowing in New Jersey; also the special grasses. Write for prices.

SPECIAL PASTURE

Pyramid Brand Formulae

- (A) For Good Soil, well drained
- (B) For Poor Soil, well drained
- (C) For Wet Soil, poorly drained.....

CORNELL PASTURE

CORNELL UTILITY.....

CORNELL GENERAL PURPOSE.....

POULTRY PASTURES

Penn State College Formulae

(H) For Chickens	54.00
(J) For Turkeys	47.00

WILD BIRD FOOD

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In bulk, 100 lb..... \$ 8.75

*In bulk, 100 lb..... 9.25

*Including 20 empty 5-lb. wax-lined bags. See illustration.

SUPPLIES

BINDER TWINE

PER BALE (5 lb. and 8 lb. Balls)	11.18
Discount 5%, 10 days	

(9) DISINFECTANTS



	Units Per Case	Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price Per Unit
CERESAN, New Improved			For Oats, Peas, Barley, Flax, Sorghums, Wheat, Rye and Millet.
4 oz. can.....	36	\$7.65	.35
1 lb. can.....	12	7.21	.90
4 lb. can.....	6	13.49	3.00
40 lb. pail.....	1	21.12	26.40
100 lb. drum.....	1	50.50	61.05

CERESAN M For all grains.

14 oz. can.....	12	\$7.20	.90
3 lb. can.....	6	11.85	2.65
40 lb. drum.....	1	23.00	28.75
100 lb. drum.....	1	55.00	69.00

SEMESAN JR. For Field, Sweet and Pop Corn.

1 1/2 oz. package.....	144	12.00	.17
12 oz. can.....	12	5.20	.62

SEMESAN BEL For Irish and Sweet Seed Potatoes.

2 oz. package.....	144	27.20	.35
1 lb. can.....	12	14.65	1.83
4 lb. can.....	6	28.50	6.33
40 lb. drum.....	1	47.05	59.00

SEMESAN For Vegetable and Flower Seeds.

1/2 oz. envelope.....	144	17.40	.20
2 oz. can.....	36	10.05	.45
12 oz. can.....	12	17.27	2.10
5 lb. can.....	6	56.60	12.65
25 lb. pail.....	1	46.62	58.28
100 lb. drum.....	1	181.60	219.80

SPECIAL SEMESAN For Lawns and fine Turf.

5 oz. can.....	24	10.82	.70
1 lb. can.....	12	16.00	2.00
4 lb. can.....	6	31.16	6.92
6 lb. can.....	6	46.70	10.35
25 lb. pail.....	1	31.91	39.96

TERSAN A non-mercurial for prevention of Brown Patch.

8 oz. can.....	24	12.50	.80
4 lb. can.....	6	23.52	5.16
25 lb. drum.....	1	24.00	30.00
100 lb. drum.....	1	93.00	115.00

F-531 An Effective Dollar Spot Control.

25 lb. drum.....	1	30.00	37.50
100 lb. drum.....	1	112.00	140.00

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KINDLY ORDER BY GROUP	Size Cans	Cans Per Carton	Dealer Price Per Can
GROUP A For Alfalfa, Sweet Clover			
1 bu.....	12.....	.32	
2½ bu.....	6.....	.65	
GROUP B For Red Clover, Alsike, Crimson, White, Ladino.			
1 bu.....	12.....	.32	
2½ bu.....	6.....	.65	
GROUP AB Combination culture for Clover-Alfalfa Mixture.			
1 bu.....	12.....	.32	
GROUP C For Vetches, Canada Peas, Garden Peas.			
100 lbs.....	12.....	.32	
GROUP E For Cowpeas, Lima Beans.			
2 bu.....	12.....	.20	
5 bu.....	6.....	.32	
GROUP S For Soy Beans.			
2 bu.....	12.....	.20	
5 bu.....	6.....	.32	
25 bu.....	6.....	1.50	
30 bu.....	6.....	1.90	
GARDEN SIZE			
			1.20 per doz.

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MOUSE SEED—KILLS MICE

No Bait—No Traps—No Muss.	Per Doz.
In One Dozen Lots.....	\$2.00
In Three Dozen Lots.....	1.85
In Six Dozen Lots.....	1.75
Every display carton of one dozen contains 14 packages which retail at 25 cents each.	

RAT KILL

For extermination of rats in mills, warehouses, elevators and on the farm and in the home.

Per Case
Case 12 one quart cans..... 10.00
Case 12 one pint cans..... 5.50
Case 12 half pint cans..... 3.00

AMMATE WEED KILLER

Kills perennial weeds, particularly recommended for killing poison ivy.

Dealer Price Per Case	Retail Price
Case 12—2 lb. bottles85 bottle
Case 4—6 lb. bottles	2.25 bottle
Drum 50 lbs.....	13.00 drum

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HERSHEY'S Ko-K-O

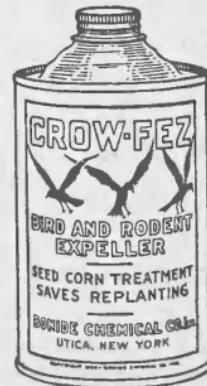
Organic Soil Conditioner and Builder

5-19 bags.....	\$1.50
½ ton-5 tons.....	1.40
5-10 tons.....	1.20
11 tons and over.....	Write for price

Packed 50 lb. bags. Freight paid

FLAKE NAPTHALENE

To keep mice out of your seed room.
per 220 pound drum \$38.00 per drum
per 25 pound bag 4.75 per bag



CROW-FEZ

Net Per Doz.
QUART (Sufficient for 4 bu.) 8.40
PINT (Sufficient for 2 bu.) 6.00
½ PINT (Sufficient for 1 bu.) 4.50

Cases contain 1 doz. Cans.